Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.—Out of the names mentioned in the statements I and II, how many schemes have been implemented by the Government during the first five-year plan?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—All the 31 schemes mentioned have been implemented.

Recovery of Amount in connection with Copper Wire Deal transacted during 1951-52.

Q.—82. Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY (Bangalore South).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the Comptroller and Auditor-General of India has in any of his audit reports recommended recovery of any amount in connection with copper wire deal transacted during 1951-52 ;

(*b*) if so, the steps so far taken for recovery of the amount ?

A.— Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Minister for Public Works).—

(*a*) The Comptroller and Auditor-General of India suggested in one case pertaining to the year 1952 that the loss incurred would either have to be made good by the party at fault or written off.

(*b*) The matter is under the consideration of the Public Accounts Committee.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—May I know when this matter was referred to the Public Accounts Committee and for how long it is under their consideration ?

*Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—The Public Accounts Committee is in possession of this item referred to in Audit reports for the year 1954-55 and 1955-56 and they have not come to any conclusion because a suit has been filed by the party concerned, namely Unni and Company, and therefore they have not been able to complete the consideration of the Audit Report with respect to this transaction.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—Is it a matter before the Court ?

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—A notice has been given.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—I want to know whether it is *sub judice* or whether it could be discussed ?

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—The information available is, that they have gone to Court.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—On a point of order. The Hon'ble Minister says that he has received a notice. I feel this is a matter of *sub-judice* and I expect a ruling from the Chair.

Mr. SPEAKER.—There is no point of order involved. The only information readily available is given by the Minister.

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—Unofficially I have come to know that they have filed a suit against the Government.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Minister says that the information he has is of an unofficial character.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—I would like to know from the Chair as to what is the matter that has been referred to in that suit ? The information that I have attempted to elicit from the Government is quite different as I know about that case to some exent. Therefore the matters that have been referred to in the suit, they may be *sub judice* but not the whole question. I think I can elicit information in regard to the matter I have referred to if the Chair gives a ruling to that effect.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Chair has no information about the suit. No doubt information has been supplied that a suit has been filed. Since it is not officially communicated and since the Minister may not be in a position to say what exactly is *sub judice*, I think the question can be held over to a subsequent day so that the whole information can be made available. But I am doubtful whether information will be available within the short time at our disposal. So no useful purpose

*Asterisk indicates that the remarks or speeches have not been revised by the member concerned.

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would be served by holding over this question for some subsequent day. The only thing is, you may reserve this question for the next Assembly.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—You can hold over the question if the information is not available.

Mr. SPEAKER.—This question does not survive because this Assembly is going to be dissolved. If there is any pressure for holding over this question I do not refuse permission. I will hold over the question and see what can be done in the short time before us.

Representation by the people of Kanakapura Taluk for Extending the Channel of Suvernamukhi Pick-up.

Q.—209. Sri S. KARIAPPA (Virupakshapura).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

whether any representation has been received from the people of Aralasandra Thamasandra and Thigalarahalli in Kanakapura Taluk for extending the channel of Suvernamukhi Pick-up as far as Kallahalli tank ?

A.—Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Minister for Public Works).—

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ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಕರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಈ "ಪಿಕ್ ಆಪ್" ನಾಲೆಯನ್ನು ಕಲ್ಲಹಳ್ಳಿ ಕೆರೆಯವರೆಗೆ ಬಡಾಯಿಸ ಬೇಕೆಂದು ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ವೆ ಮಾಡಿರಲಿಲ್ಲವೆ ?

*ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ವೀರಣ್ಣಗೌಡ.—ಆ ಸಮಾಚಾರ ಇಲ್ಲಿಲ್ಲ. ತಾವು ಹೇಳುವ ನಾಲೆಯ ಕೆಳಗಿರುವ ಸುಮಾರು 800—900 ಎಕರೆಗೆ ನೀರು ಸಾಕಾದರೆ ಮುಂದೆ ಅದನ್ನು ಬಡಾಯಿಸಬಹುದು. ಈಗ ಒಂದು ನಾಲೆ ಪೂರೈಸಿದೆ, ಇನ್ನೊಂದು ಆಗುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಇನ್ನೂ ಆ ನಾಲೆಯ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ ಪೂರ್ಣವಾಗಿ ನೀರು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿಲ್ಲ. ಈಗ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ನಾಲೆಯ ಕೆಳಗಿರುವ ಜಮೀನಿಗೆ ನೀರು ಸಾಕಾಗಿ ಇನ್ನೂ ಉಳಿಯುತ್ತದೆಯೆ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ಸರ್ವೆ ಮಾಡಿ ಮುಂದೆ ನೀರು ಸರಬರಾಯಿ ಮಾಡಲು ಅವಕಾಶವಿದೆಯೆಂದು ಕಂಡು ಬಂದರೆ ನಾಲೆ ಬಡಾಯಿಸುವುದನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಕರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಆ ತೊರೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಎಷ್ಟು ಯೂನಿಟ್ ನೀರು ಸಿಕ್ಕುತ್ತದೆಂದು ಲೆಕ್ಕ ಹಾಕಿದೆಯೆ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ವೀರಣ್ಣಗೌಡ.—ಹಾಕಿಲ್ಲ. ಆದರೆ ಆಕ್ಯುಯಲ್ಲಾಗಿ ಈಗ ಒದಗಿಸಬೇಕಾದ ಪ್ರದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ ಸರಬರಾಯಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ಮೇಲೆ ಮುಂದಿನದನ್ನು ನಿರ್ಧರಿಸಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

Power for Irrigation Purposes in Malur Taluk.

Q.—276 Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY (Malur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) when the people from Mindahalli, Bheemanahalli, Bellavi, Byranahalli and Chowramanagala, Malur Taluk, Kolar District, applied for power for irrigation purposes ;

(*b*) the action taken by the Electric Department on the same ?

A.—Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Minister for Public Works).—

(*a*) Applications for power supply to Irrigation Pumping sets were received on dates noted :—

Name of village		*Date of application*
Mindahalli	...	11-7-1955
Bheemanahalli	...	No requisition
Bellavi	...	20-5-1954
Byranahalli	...	20-3-1956
Chowramangala	...	28-2-1954

(*b*) *Mindahalli.*—Estimate is sanctioned. As parties are not ready, work is not taken up.

Bheemanahalli.—Requisitions not yet received.

Bellavi.—Deposits have not been received so far and estimates have therefore not been prepared.

Byranahalli.—13 applications have been received, 9 applicants have paid deposit in full on 10th December 1956 and the other four have not paid the additional deposits. Estimates are therefore not prepared.

Chowramangala.—Estimate is sanctioned. Service is not given for want of completion report and wiring diagram.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—With regard to the Byranahalli, has it come to the notice of the Government that an estimate has since been prepared ?